Date	Description of Event	Reference
January 1	New Year's Day	Holiday
January 2 68th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to mail or deliver to county clerks a copy of the random ordering of the alphabet for <b>March</b> election ballot.	254.155
January 5 135th day before election	Last day for county clerk to mail updates for district board members for <b>primary</b> election.	255.069
January 9 61st day before election	Last day before <b>March</b> election to inactivate voters for non-voting or failure to update.	247.013
	Last day for governing body of electoral district with measure on <b>March</b> election ballot to submit explanatory statement if county will publish a voters' pamphlet.	165-022-0010
	Last day for city elections official, county governing body or district elections authority to give notice of measure election to county clerk for <b>March</b> election.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
January 13 57th day before election	Last day to file candidate statements for county voters' pamphlet for <b>March</b> election.	165-022-0010
2nd business day after deadline for notice of measure election	Last day for filing measure arguments for county voters' pamphlet for <b>March</b> election.	165-022-0010
January 15 125th day before election	Last day for districts to return district board member updates for <b>primary</b> election.	255.069
10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
January 17 4th business day after VP filing deadline	Material submitted for <b>March</b> election county voters' pamphlet is available for public inspection.	251.430
January 20	Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday	Holiday
120th day before election	First day to electronically file using ORESTAR candidate statements and measure arguments for the state voters' pamphlet for <b>primary</b> election.	251.065
January 21 120th day before election	Last day for proponents to make explanatory statement committee appointments for <b>primary</b> election measures.	251.205
January 22 118th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to select proponent members for explanatory statement committees for <b>primary</b> election measures, if proponents do not.	251.205
	Last day for Secretary of State to make explanatory statement committee appointments of opponents for <b>primary</b> election measures.	251.205
January 25 45th day before election	Last day to print absentee ballots for <b>March</b> election and mail ballots to military and overseas electors.	253.045; 253.065
January 28 42nd day before election	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins for <b>March</b> election.	260.057

Date	Description of Event	Reference
January 29 111th day before election	Last day for explanatory statement committees for <b>primary</b> election measures to select fifth members.	251.205
January 30 110th day before election	Last day for county clerk to publish/mail notice of district board election for <b>primary</b> election.	255.075
	First day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition for <b>primary</b> election.	255.235
January 31  January 31st of each year	Last day for county clerk to file "County Elections Security Plan" with the Secretary of State.	254.074
109th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to appoint fifth member to explanatory statement committee for <b>primary</b> election measure, if committee does not.	251.205
January 31st of the year of primary election	Last day for county clerk to determine number of precinct committeepersons needed per precinct.	248.015
February 1  February 1 immediately preceding primary election	First day for candidate for precinct committeeperson to file declaration of candidacy for <b>primary</b> election.	249.037
February 3 90th day after election	Last day to file complaint of alleged election law violation for November election. (If violation occurred after the election, deadline is 90 days after date of alleged violation.)	260.345
February 9 30th day before election	Last day before <b>March</b> election for county clerk to establish official dropsite locations for ballot deposit.	165-007-0030
	Last day for county clerk to complete establishment and division of precincts for <b>March</b> election.	246.410
February 10 99th day before election	Last day for explanatory statement committees and Legislative Counsel to file explanatory statements for <b>primary</b> election measures.	251.215; 251.225
	Last day for financial estimate committee to file financial estimates and statements for <b>primary</b> election measures.	250.127
29th day before election	First day to mail ballots for <b>March</b> election to electors with a mailing address outside this state who are not military or overseas electors.	253.065; 254.470
February 14 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
95th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to conduct hearing re: financial estimates and statements, and explanatory statements for <b>primary</b> election measures.	250.127; 251.215
February 17	Presidents' Day	Holiday

Date	Description of Event	Reference
February 18 91st day before election	Last day before <b>primary</b> election for county clerk to cancel an elector based on information from U.S. Postal Service records.	247.296
21st day before election	Last day to register to vote for <b>March</b> election. Registration cards that are postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59PM are valid registrations for <b>March</b> election.	247.025
February 19 90th day before election	Last day for county clerk to prepare <b>primary</b> election special absentee ballot for delivery to military and overseas electors.	253.565
	Last day for financial estimate committee to file revised financial estimates and statements for <b>primary</b> election measures.	250.127
	Last day for major political party to file rules for nonaffiliated voters to vote in <b>primary</b> election.	254.365
	Last day for explanatory statement committees to file revised explanatory statements for <b>primary</b> election measures.	251.215
20th day before election	First day to mail ballots to electors, with or without daily mail service, for March election.	254.470
February 21 88th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to file financial estimates and statements for <b>primary</b> election measures, if financial estimate committee does not.	250.127
18th day before election	Last day to mail ballots to electors without daily mail service for <b>March</b> election.	254.470
February 24 5th day after revision deadline	Last day for filing for Supreme Court review of explanatory statements or financial estimates or statements procedure for <b>primary</b> election measures.	ORAP 11.30; 250.131; 251.235
85th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to notify county clerks of major political party filing rules to allow nonaffiliated voters to vote in <b>primary</b> election.	165-007-0030
February 25 84th day before election	Last day for county clerk to notify Secretary of State of intent to publish or not publish county voters' pamphlet for <b>primary</b> election.	165-007-0030
14th day before election	Last day to mail ballots for <b>March</b> election.	254.470
	Last day to mail/distribute county voters' pamphlet for March election.	251.315
February 27 180 days before filing deadline	Last day for potential nonaffiliated candidate to register as not a member of a party to meet 180 day requirement for <b>general</b> election.	249.720
February 28 80th day before election	Last day for county or city governing body to file with appropriate elections official the text of referral or if the governing body prepared a title, the complete ballot title, in order for the ballot title process to be complete by the filing deadline for the <b>primary</b> election.	165-014-0005
March 4 7th day before election	Last day to conduct public certification test of vote tally system for <b>March</b> election.	254.235
	County clerk may begin opening return identification and secrecy envelopes for March election.	254.478
	County clerk may begin scanning ballots for <b>March</b> election in accordance with security plan approved by the Secretary of State.	254.478

Date	Description of Event	Reference
March 6 5th day before election	Last day for requirement to mail absentee or replacement ballots for <b>March</b> election.	247.307; 253.065; 253.545; 254.470
March 11	Election Day	255.345
Election Day	Official dropsites open 8 hours or more and until 8PM for depositing cast ballots. County Clerk's office open 7AM - 8PM for issuing and depositing ballots.	165-007-0120; 254.470
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends for <b>March</b> election.	260.057
70th day before election	Last day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy, nominating petition or withdrawal of candidacy for <b>primary</b> election.	255.235
	Last day for major party and nonpartisan candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition for <b>primary</b> election.	249.037
March 12 69th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to complete random ordering of alphabet to determine placement of candidate names on <b>primary</b> election ballot.	254.155
March 13 68th day before election	Last day for committee to file legislative argument in support of referral for <b>primary</b> election voters' pamphlet.	251.245
	Last day for candidate who files candidacy with county clerk to file statements for county voters' pamphlet for <b>primary</b> election.	165-022-0010
	Last day for Secretary of State to mail or deliver to county clerks a copy of the random ordering of the alphabet for <b>primary</b> election ballot.	254.155
	Last day to electronically file or withdraw using ORESTAR candidate statements and measure arguments for the state voters' pamphlet for <b>primary</b> election.	251.065; 251.255; 251.285
March 14 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
67th day before election	Last day for candidate, other than district candidate, to file withdrawal of candidacy for <b>primary</b> election.	249.170
March 18 3rd business day after VP filing deadline	Last day for Secretary of State to review <b>primary</b> election voters' pamphlet filings for compliance.	251.087, 251.260
March 19 4th business day after VP filing deadline	Material submitted (candidate statements for candidates who file candidacy with county clerk) for <b>primary</b> election county voters' pamphlet becomes public record.	251.430
	State voters' pamphlet material for <b>primary</b> election becomes public record.	251.145
8th day after election	Last day for Secretary of State to forward any <b>March</b> election ballots voted by military or overseas electors to the county in which the elector who cast the ballot is registered.	253.070; 253.585
	Last day for county clerk to forward any <b>March</b> election ballots voted by electors registered in another county.	253.070; 253.135

Date	Description of Event	Reference
March 20 5th business day after VP filing deadline	Last day for Secretary of State to contact candidates and measure argument filers regarding corrections necessary in <b>primary</b> election voters' pamphlet statements.	251.087, 251.260
61st day before election	Last day for Secretary of State and city elections officers to file with county clerks a statement of candidates and measures for placement on <b>primary</b> election ballot.	254.085; 254.095
	Last day for city elections official, county governing body or district elections authority to give notice of measure election to county clerk for <b>primary</b> election.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
	Last day before <b>primary</b> election to inactivate voters for non-voting or failure to update.	247.013
	Last day for governing body of electoral district with measure on <b>primary</b> election to submit explanatory statement if county will publish a voters' pamphlet.	165-022-0010
March 24 7th business day after VP filing deadline	Last day for candidate or measure argument filer to file necessary revisions, as identified by Secretary of State, to bring <b>primary</b> election voters' pamphlet filing into compliance.	251.087; 251.260
2nd business day after deadline for notice of measure election	Last day for filing measure arguments for county voters' pamphlet for <b>primary</b> election.	165-022-0010
57th day before election	Last day for candidates who file candidacy with governing body other than county clerk to file statements for county voters' pamphlet for <b>primary</b> election.	165-022-0010
March 25 14th day after election	Last day for elector whose ballot has been challenged to provide sufficient evidence to disprove the challenge in order to have their ballot counted.	254.426
March 28 4th business day after VP filing deadline	Material submitted (measure arguments and candidate statements for candidates who file candidacy with governing body other than county clerk) for <b>primary</b> election county voters' pamphlet becomes public record.	251.430
March 31 20th day after election	Last day for county clerk to prepare and deliver abstracts of <b>March</b> election votes to appropriate elections officials.	254.545; 255.295
April 5 45th day before election	Last day to print absentee ballots for <b>primary</b> election and mail ballots to military and overseas electors.	253.045; 253.065
April 8 42nd day prior to election	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins for <b>primary</b> election.	260.057
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins for Initiative Petition Committees.	260.118
April 10 30th day after election	Last day for county clerks to certify 50% turnout of eligible voters for <b>March</b> election.	165-007-0130
	Last day for filing officer to prepare and deliver acceptance of office form to individuals nominated or elected by write-in votes for <b>March</b> election.	254.548
	Last day for county clerk to prepare and electronically deliver precinct level results and Ballot Count Report to the Secretary of State.	165-007-0030; 254.074; 254.545

Date	Description of Event	Reference
April 14 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
April 15 35th day after election	Last day to file <b>March</b> election recount demand.	258.161
April 20 30th day before election	Last day before <b>primary</b> election for county clerk to establish official dropsite locations for ballot deposit.	165-007-0030
	Last day for county clerk to complete establishment and division of precincts for <b>primary</b> election.	246.410
April 21 40th day after election	Last day to file contest of <b>March</b> election, if no recount.	258.036
29th day before election	First day to mail ballots for <b>primary</b> election to electors with a mailing address outside this state who are not military or overseas electors.	253.065; 254.470
April 25 45th day after election	March Special District Election Report due.	Dir 2006-7
	Last day for individuals nominated or elected by write-in votes at <b>March</b> election to file write-in acceptance forms.	254.548
April 29 21st day before election	Last day to register to vote or change party affiliation for <b>primary</b> election. Registration cards that are postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59PM are valid registrations for the <b>primary</b> election.	247.025
	Last day for major or minor political parties to request free list of active electors for <b>primary</b> election.	247.940
April 30 50th day after election	Last day for filing officer to prepare and deliver a certificate of nomination or election to individuals who filed write-in acceptance forms for <b>March</b> election and, if applicable, issue a proclamation declaring the election of those individuals.	254.548
20th day before election	Last day to mail <b>primary</b> election state voters' pamphlet.	251.175
	First day to mail ballots to electors, with or without daily mail service, for the <b>primary</b> election.	254.470
May 2 18th day before election	Last day to mail ballots to electors without daily mail service for the <b>primary</b> election.	254.470
May 6 14th day before election	Last day for mailing/distributing county voters' pamphlet for <b>primary</b> election.	251.315
	Last day to mail ballots for <b>primary</b> election.	254.470

Date	Description of Event	Reference
May 13 7th day before election	County clerk may begin scanning ballots for <b>primary</b> election in accordance with security plan approved by the Secretary of State.	254.478
	Last day to conduct public certification test of vote tally system for primary election.	254.235
	County clerk may begin opening return identification and secrecy envelopes for <b>primary</b> election.	254.478
May 14 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
May 15  5th day before election	Last day for requirement to mail absentee or replacement ballots for <b>primary</b> election.	247.307; 253.065; 253.545; 253.575; 254.470
May 20	Primary Election Day	254.056
Election Day	Official dropsites open 8 hours or more and until 8PM for depositing cast ballots. County Clerk's	165-007-0120;
	office open 7AM - 8PM for issuing and depositing ballots.	254.470
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends for Initiative Petition Committees.	260.118
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends for <b>primary</b> election.	260.057
May 22 42nd day prior to signature submittal	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins for Initiative Petition Committees.	260.118
May 23 165 days before general election	Last day to submit 100% of required signatures for state initiative petition and qualify to turn in additional signatures if petition is determined insufficient.	250.105
May 26	Memorial Day	Holiday
May 28 8th day after election	Last day for Secretary of State to forward any <b>primary</b> election ballots voted by military or overseas electors to the county in which the elector who cast the ballot is registered.	253.070; 253.585
	Last day for county clerk to forward any <b>primary</b> election ballots voted by electors registered in another county.	253.070; 253.135
lune 3 14th day after election	Last day for elector whose ballot has been challenged to provide sufficient evidence to disprove the challenge in order to have their ballot counted.	254.426
une 4 15th day after primary election	First day for local candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition for offices filled at <b>general</b> election.	221.180
	First day for nonaffiliated and minor political party candidates to file certificates of nomination for <b>general</b> election.	249.722

Date	Description of Event	Reference
June 9 20th day after election	Last day for county clerk to prepare and deliver abstracts of <b>primary</b> election votes to appropriate election officials.	254.545; 255.295
	Last day for county clerk to mail certificates of election to precinct committeeperson selected at <b>primary</b> election.	248.023
90th day after election	Last day to file complaint of alleged election law violation for <b>March</b> election. (If violation occurred after the election, deadline is 90 days after date of alleged violation.)	260.345
lune 13 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
24th day after election	Precinct committeepersons elected at <b>primary</b> election take office.	248.015
June 16 27th day after election	Last day for precinct committeepersons elected at <b>primary</b> election by write-in votes to file acceptance of office forms.	248.023
	Last day for filing officer to prepare and deliver acceptance of office form to individuals nominated or elected by write-in votes for <b>primary</b> election.	254.548
lune 19 30th day after election	Effective date of measures approved by voters at <b>primary</b> election, unless otherwise specified for later implementation.	Art IV OR Const
	Last day for Governor to issue measure proclamation and declare into law those measures approved by voters at the <b>primary</b> election.	254.555
	Last day for county clerk to prepare and deliver a certificate of nomination or election to those individuals nominated or elected at <b>primary</b> election.	254.545; 255.295
	Last day for Secretary of State to canvass votes, prepare register of nominations, prepare and deliver certificates of nomination or election and issue a proclamation declaring the election of candidates at the <b>primary</b> election.	254.555; 260.245
	Last day for county clerk to prepare and electronically deliver precinct level results and Ballot Count Report to the Secretary of State.	165-007-0030; 254.074, 254.545
lune 20 31st day after election	County clerk to furnish list of newly elected precinct committeepersons to chairman of county and state central committees and declare other office of precinct committeeperson vacant.	248.023
June 23 135th day before election	Last day for county clerk to mail updates for district board members for <b>general</b> election.	255.069
lune 24 35th day after election	Last day to file <b>primary</b> election recount demand.	258.161
	Last day for individuals nominated or elected by write-in votes at <b>primary</b> election to file write-in acceptance forms.	254.548

Date	Description of Event	Reference
June 27 80th day before election	Last day for county or city governing body to file with appropriate elections official the text of referral or if the governing body prepared a title, the complete ballot title, in order for the ballot title process to be complete by the filing deadline for the <b>September</b> election.	165-014-0005
June 30 40th day after election	Last day to file contest of <b>primary</b> election, if no recount.	258.036
	Last day for filing officer to prepare and deliver a certificate of nomination or election to individuals who filed write-in acceptance forms for <b>primary</b> election and, if applicable, issue a proclamation declaring the election of those individuals.	254.548
July 2 125th day before election	Last day for districts to return district board member updates for <b>general</b> election.	255.069
July 3 4 months before general election	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends for Initiative Petition Committees.	260.118
	Last day to file 100% of signatures for state initiative petition.	Art IV OR Const
July 4	Independence Day	Holiday
July 7 120th day before election	Last day for proponents to make explanatory statement committee appointments for <b>general</b> election measures.	251.205
July 9 118th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to select proponent members for explanatory statement committees for general election measures, if proponents do not.	251.205
	Last day for Secretary of State to make explanatory statement committee appointments of opponents for <b>general</b> election measures.	251.205
69th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to complete random ordering of the alphabet to determine placement of candidate names on <b>September</b> election ballot.	254.155
July 10 68th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to mail or deliver to county clerks a copy of the random ordering of the alphabet for <b>September</b> election ballot.	254.155
July 15 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
July 15th for primary election	Primary Election Day Report due.	Dir 2006-7
July 16 111th day before election	Last day for explanatory statement committees for <b>general</b> election measures to select fifth members.	251.205

Date	Description of Event	Reference
July 17 110th day before election	Last day for county clerk to publish/mail notice of district board election for <b>general</b> election.	255.075
	First day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition for <b>general</b> election.	255.235
61st day before election	Last day for city elections official, county governing body or district elections authority to give notice of measure election to county clerk for <b>September</b> election.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
	Last day before <b>September</b> election to inactivate voters for non-voting or failure to update.	247.013
	Last day for governing body of electoral district with measure on <b>September</b> election ballot to submit explanatory statement if county will publish a voters' pamphlet.	165-022-0010
July 18 109th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to appoint fifth member to explanatory statement committee for <b>general</b> election measure, if committee does not.	251.205
July 21 57th day before election	Last day to file candidate statements for county voters' pamphlet for <b>September</b> election.	165-022-0010
2nd business day after deadline for notice of measure election	Last day to file measure arguments for county voters' pamphlet for <b>September</b> election.	165-022-0010
July 25 4th business day after VP filing deadline	Material submitted for <b>September</b> election county voters' pamphlet is available for public inspection.	251.430
July 28 99th day before election	Last day for financial estimate committee to file financial estimates and statements for <b>general</b> election measures.	250.127
	Last day for explanatory statement committees and Legislative Counsel to file explanatory statements for <b>general</b> election measures.	251.215; 251.225
August 1 95th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to conduct hearing re: financial estimates and statements, and explanatory statements for <b>general</b> election measures.	250.127; 251.215
August 2 45th day before election	Last day to print absentee ballots for <b>September</b> election and mail ballots to military and overseas electors.	253.045; 253.065
30 days after deadline for submitting signatures	Last day for Secretary of State to complete verification of signatures on state initiative petitions.	Art IV OR Const
August 5 91st day before election	Last day before <b>general</b> election for county clerk to cancel an elector based on information from U.S. Postal Service records.	247.296
42nd day before election	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins for <b>September</b> election.	260.057

Date	Description of Event	Reference
August 6 90th day before election	Last day for financial estimate committee to file revised financial estimates and statements for <b>general</b> election measures.	250.127
	Last day for explanatory statement committees to file revised explanatory statements for <b>general</b> election measures.	251.215
	Last day for county clerk to prepare <b>general</b> election special absentee ballot for delivery to military and overseas electors.	253.565
	Last day for minor political parties to qualify to nominate candidates based on voter registration.	248.008
August 8 88th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to file financial estimates and statements for <b>general</b> election measures, if financial estimate committee does not.	250.127
August 11 5th day after revision deadline	Last day for filing for Supreme Court review of explanatory statements or financial estimates or statements procedure for <b>general</b> election measures.	ORAP 11.30; 250.131; 251.235
August 12 84th day before election	Last day for county clerk to notify Secretary of State of intent to publish or not publish county voters' pamphlet for <b>general</b> election.	165-007-0030
August 14 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
August 15 80th day before election	Last day for county or city governing body to file with appropriate elections official the text of referral or if the governing body prepared a title, the complete ballot title, in order for the ballot title process to be complete by the filing deadline for the <b>general</b> election.	165-014-0005
August 17 30th day before election	Last day before <b>September</b> election for county clerk to establish official dropsite locations for ballot deposit.	165-007-0030
	Last day for county clerk to complete establishment and division of precincts for <b>September</b> election.	246.410
August 18 90th day after election	Last day for filing complaint of alleged election law violation for <b>primary</b> election. (If violation occurred after the election, deadline is 90 days after date of violation.)	260.345
29th day before election	First day to mail ballots for <b>September</b> election to electors with a mailing address outside this state who are not military or overseas electors.	253.065; 254.470

Date	Description of Event	Reference
August 26 70th day before election	Last day for citizen panel to file any Citizen Statement prepared for the state voters' pamphlet for general election.	250.141
	Last day for electronically filing or withdrawing using ORESTAR candidate statements, measure arguments and political party statements for the state voters' pamphlet for <b>general</b> election.	251.065; 251.115; 251.255; 251.285
	Last day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition or withdrawal of candidacy for <b>general</b> election.	255.235
	Last day for nonaffiliated or minor political party candidate to file certificates of nomination for <b>general</b> election.	249.722
	Last day for committee to file legislative argument in support of referral for <b>general</b> election voters' pamphlet.	251.245
	Last day for local candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition for offices filled at <b>general</b> election.	221.180
21st day before election	Last day to register to vote for <b>September</b> election. Registration cards that are postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59PM are valid registrations for <b>September</b> election.	247.025
August 27 20th day before election	First day to mail ballots to electors, with or without daily mail service, for <b>September</b> election.	254.470
69th day before election	Last day for Secretary of State to complete random ordering of alphabet to determine placement of candidate names on <b>general</b> election ballot.	254.155
August 28 68th day before election	Last day to determine if candidate who was nominated at <b>primary</b> election has failed to file campaign finance statements for that election. Mail certified notice to the candidate warning that the candidate's name may not be placed on <b>general</b> election ballot.	260.241
	Last day for candidate who files candidacy with county clerk to file statements for county voters' pamphlet for <b>general</b> election.	165-022-0010
	Last day for Secretary of State to mail or deliver to county clerks a copy of the random ordering of the alphabet for <b>general</b> election ballot.	254.155
August 29 18th day before election	Last day to mail ballots to electors without daily mail service for <b>September</b> election.	254.470
67th day before election	Last day for candidate, other than district candidate, to file withdrawal of candidacy for <b>general</b> election.	249.180; 249.830
3rd business day after VP filing deadline	Last day for Secretary of State to review general election voters' pamphlet filings for compliance.	251.087; 251.260
September 1	Labor Day	Holiday

Date	Description of Event	Reference
September 2 4th business day after VP filing deadline 14th day before election	State voters' pamphlet material for <b>general</b> election becomes public record.	251.145
	Last day to mail/distribute county voters' pamphlet for <b>September</b> election.	251.315
	Last day to mail ballots for <b>September</b> election.	254.470
September 3 5th business day after VP filing deadline	Last day for Secretary of State to contact candidates and measure argument filers regarding corrections necessary in <b>general</b> election voters' pamphlet statements.	251.087; 251.260
September 4 61st day before election	Last day for governing body of electoral district with measure on <b>general</b> election to submit explanatory statement if county will publish voters' pamphlet.	165-022-0010
	Last day for Secretary of State and city elections officers to file with county clerks a statement of candidates and measures for placement on <b>general</b> election ballot.	254.085; 254.095
	Last day before <b>general</b> election to inactivate voters for non-voting or failure to update.	247.013
	Candidate who was nominated at <b>primary</b> election may be placed on <b>general</b> election ballot only if they have filed all <b>primary</b> election campaign finance statements.	260.241
	Last day for city elections official, county governing body or district elections authority to give notice of measure election to county clerk for <b>general</b> election.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
4th business day after VP filing deadline	Material submitted (candidate statements for candidates who file candidacy with county clerk) for <b>general</b> election county voters' pamphlet becomes public record.	251.430
September 5 7th business day after VP filing deadline	Last day for candidate or measure argument filer to file necessary revisions, as identified by Secretary of State, to bring <b>general</b> election voters' pamphlet filing incompliance.	251.087; 251.260
September 8 57th day before election	Last day for candidate who files candidacy with governing body other than county clerk to file statements for county voters' pamphlet for <b>general</b> election.	165-022-0010
2nd business day after deadline for notice of measure election	Last day to file measure arguments for county voters' pamphlet for <b>general</b> election.	165-022-0010
September 9 7th day before election	County clerk may begin scanning ballots for <b>September</b> election in accordance with security plan approved by the Secretary of State.	254.478
	Last day to conduct public certification test of vote tally system for <b>September</b> election.	254.235
	County clerks may begin opening return identification and secrecy envelopes for <b>September</b> election.	254.478
September 11 5th day before election	Last day for requirement to mail absentee or replacement ballots for <b>September</b> election.	247.307; 253.065; 253.545; 254.470
September 12 4th business day after VP filing deadline	Material submitted (measure arguments and candidate statements for candidates who file candidacy with governing body other than county clerk) for <b>general</b> election county voters' pamphlet becomes public record.	251.430

Date	Description of Event	Reference
September 15 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
September 16	Election Day	255.345
Election Day	Official dropsites open 8 hours or more and until 8PM for depositing cast ballots. County Clerk's office open 7AM - 8PM for issuing and depositing ballots.	165-007-0120; 254.470
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends for <b>September</b> election.	260.057
September 18 47th day before election	Last day for county, city or district to file with county clerk a statement for resubmitting a measure at <b>general</b> election.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
September 20 45th day before election	Last day to print absentee ballots for <b>general</b> election and mail ballots to military and overseas electors.	253.045; 253.065
September 22 2nd business day after deadline for notice of resubmitting measure	Last day to file county voters' pamphlet arguments for measure to be resubmitted at <b>general</b> election. (If county includes resubmitted measure in voters' pamphlet.)	165-022-0010
September 23 42nd day prior to election	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins for <b>general</b> election.	260.057
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins for Initiative Petition Committees.	260.118
September 24 8th day after election	Last day for Secretary of State to forward any <b>September</b> election ballots voted by military or overseas electors to the county in which the elector who cast the ballot is registered.	253.070; 253.585
	Last day for county clerk to forward any <b>September</b> election ballots voted by electors registered in another county.	253.070; 253.135
September 26 4th business day after filing deadline	Measure arguments for measure to be resubmitted at <b>general</b> election become public record. (If county includes resubmitted measure in voters' pamphlet.)	251.430
September 30 14th day after election	Last day for elector whose ballot has been challenged to provide sufficient evidence to disprove the challenge in order to have their ballot counted.	254.426
October 5 30th day before election	Last day for county clerk to complete establishment and division of precincts for the <b>general</b> election.	246.410
	Last day before <b>general</b> election for county clerk to establish official dropsite locations for ballot deposit.	165-007-0030
October 6 20th day after election	Last day for county clerk to prepare and deliver abstracts of <b>September</b> election votes to appropriate elections officials.	254.545; 255.295
29th day before election	First day to mail ballots for the <b>general</b> election to electors with a mailing address outside this state who are not military or overseas electors.	253.065; 254.470

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October 14 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
21st day before election	Last day for major or minor political parties to request free list of active electors for <b>general</b> election.	247.940
	Last day to register to vote for <b>general</b> election. Registration cards that are postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59PM are valid registrations for <b>general</b> election.	247.025
October 15 20th day before election	Last day to mail general election state voters' pamphlet.	251.175
	First day to mail ballots to electors, with or without daily mail service, for the general election.	254.470
October 16 30th day after election	Last day for county clerk to prepare and electronically deliver precinct level results and Ballot Count Report to the Secretary of State.	165-007-0030; 254.074; 254.545
	Last day for filing officer to prepare and deliver acceptance of office form to individuals nominated or elected by write-in votes for <b>September</b> election.	254.548
	Last day for county clerks to certify 50% turnout of eligible voters for <b>September</b> election.	165-007-0130
October 17 18th day before election	Last day to mail ballots to electors without daily mail service for the <b>general</b> election.	254.470
October 21 35th day after election 14th day before election	Last day to file <b>September</b> election recount demand.	258.161
	Last day to mail/distribute county voters' pamphlet for general election.	251.315
	Last day to mail ballots for <b>general</b> election.	254.470
October 27 40th day after election	Last day to file contest of <b>September</b> election, if no recount.	258.036
October 28 7th day before election	County clerk may begin scanning ballots for <b>general</b> election in accordance with security plan approved by the Secretary of State.	254.478
	Last day to conduct public certification test of vote tally system for general election.	254.235
	County clerk may begin opening return identification and secrecy envelopes for the <b>general</b> election.	254.478
October 30 5th day before election	Last day for requirement to mail absentee or replacement ballots for general election.	247.307; 253.065; 253.545; 254.470
October 31 45th day after election	September Special District Election Report due.	Dir 2006-7
	Last day for individuals nominated or elected by write-in votes at <b>September</b> election to file write-in acceptance forms.	254.548

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November 4	General Election Day	254.056
Election Day	Official dropsites open 8 hours or more and until 8PM for depositing cast ballots. County Clerk's office open 7AM - 8PM for issuing and depositing ballots.	165-007-0120; 254.470
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends for Initiative Petition Committees.	260.118
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends for <b>general</b> election.	260.057
November 5 50th day after election	Last day for filing officer to prepare and deliver a certificate of nomination or election to individuals who filed write-in acceptance forms for <b>September</b> election and, if applicable, issue a proclamation declaring the election of those individuals.	254.548
November 7 3rd business day after election	Last day for Secretary of State to advise county clerks of the election contests and precincts for which ballots are to be hand counted.	254.529
November 11	Veterans' Day	Holiday
November 12 8th day after election	Last day for county clerk to forward any <b>general</b> election ballots voted by electors registered in another county.	253.070; 253.135
	Last day for Secretary of State to forward any <b>general</b> election ballots voted by military and overseas electors to the county in which the elector who cast the ballot is registered.	253.070; 253.585
November 17 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
November 18 14th day after election	Last day for elector whose ballot has been challenged to provide sufficient evidence to disprove the challenge in order to have their ballot counted.	254.426
November 24 20th day after election	Last day for county clerk to prepare and deliver abstracts of <b>general</b> election votes to appropriate elections officials.	254.545; 255.295
November 25 21st day after election	Last day for county clerks to begin hand counts of randomly selected precincts.	254.529
November 27	Thanksgiving Day	Holiday
December 1 27th day after election	Last day for filing officer to prepare and deliver acceptance of office form to individuals nominated or elected by write-in votes for <b>general</b> election.	254.548

Date	Description of Event	Reference
December 4 30th day after election	Last day for Secretary of State to canvass votes, prepare and deliver certificates of election and issue a proclamation declaring the election of candidates at <b>general</b> election.	254.555; 260.245
	Last day for county clerks to complete hand counts of randomly selected precincts and certify amended abstract of votes, if necessary.	254.529
	Last day for county clerk to prepare and electronically deliver precinct level results and Ballot Count Report to the Secretary of State.	165-007-0030; 254.074, 254.575
	Effective date of measures approved by voters at <b>general</b> election, unless otherwise specified for later implementation.	Art IV OR Const
	Last day for Governor to issue measure proclamation and declare into law those measures approved by voters at <b>general</b> election.	254.555
December 9 35th day after election	Last day to file <b>general</b> election recount demand.	258.161
	Last day for individuals nominated or elected by write-in votes at <b>general</b> election to file write-in acceptance forms.	254.548
December 12 10th business day of the month	Last day to submit previous calendar month's signatures obtained by paid circulators on state initiative petitions.	250.105
December 15 40th day after election	Last day to file contest of <b>general</b> election, if no recount.	258.036
	Last day for filing officer to prepare and deliver a certificate of nomination or election to individuals who filed write-in acceptance forms for <b>general</b> election and, if applicable, issue a proclamation declaring the election of those individuals.	254.548
90th day after election	Last day to file complaint of alleged election law violation for <b>September</b> election. (If violation occurred after the election, deadline is 90 days after date of alleged violation.)	260.345
December 25	Christmas Day	Holiday
December 31  December 31st for general election	General Election Day Report due.	Dir 2006-7